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Re: Sheng-Guo Wang's Patent Application 09/989,799 of 11/20/2001
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Dear Honorable Commissioner:

Applicant respectfully requests, under Rule 116 and following the Examiner's proposed allowable claim amendments and the telephone discussion of 4-27-2006 with the SPE, that the above application be amended as follows, without raising any new issues, to place it in condition for allowance.

Amendments to the Claims under Rule 116 are reflected in the listing of claims (total 7 pages) that begins on page 2 as attached to this paper.

Reply Remarks begin on page 9 as attached to this paper.

Again, thank you very much for your consideration of my application. I respectfully request that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Very truly yours,

Sheng-Guo Wang

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